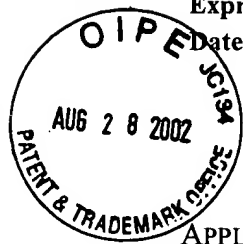


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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action mailed on February 28, 2002, please amend the application as follows.

In the claims:

Amend claims 1, 6, 7, 14, 19, and 20. Add claim 22.

A1 1. A drug delivery device for a mammal comprising a cup-shaped body for enclosing one external nare, wherein said device does not extend into the nostril of said mammal and wherein said device does not enclose a second external nare of said mammal.

A2 6. The device of claim 1, wherein said device is adapted for use on a horse, a cow, a sheep, or a goat.

7. The device of claim 1, wherein said device is adapted for use on a horse.